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BASIC PLAN

CRYPTONYM SEACA

25 YEAR RE-REVIEW

1. Purpose:

A. Objective:

25X1 The SEACA network of radio stations is to provide rapid and reliable
25X1 communications [] in the Southeast Asia Area and to establish
radio operational bases for the support of the various CIA activities in the area.
It will be one of the major links in the ring of staff [] radio bases
provided for in the Overseas Communication Plan.

B. Targets:

The base station will provide communications for staff circuits within
a radius of approximately twenty-five hundred miles.

The base station will support agent circuits within a radius of
approximately one thousand miles. Under favorable conditions contacts may be
maintained over a distance of fifteen hundred miles.

25X1 This network will provide communications support for the sector bet-
ween the [] Base and the proposed [] Base.

2. Requirements:

A. Personnel:

Initially, approximately twenty-five personnel will be required to
operate the network. Mobilization plans require approximately 250 personnel for
the operation of the activity.

B. Financial:

25X1 The following estimates have been established for the equipping,
staffing, and operating of the network. These estimates include funds for the
establishing of a major base station [] and up to ten substations
in strategic locations throughout Southeast Asia.

Fiscal Year 1951

Fiscal Year 1952

Current Operations

Full Mobilization

25X1 The financial estimates include personnel salaries, equipment costs,
operating costs, and overhead expenses. The estimates for mobilization include
funds for the constructing and equipping of a large radio base station whereas
the current operations are conducted from transmitting and receiving stations

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DIVISION Communications

Recommended 

30 Jan. 1951
(Date)

(Division Chief)

31 Jan. 1951
(Date)

(Chief, STB)

(Date)

Approved for period ending _____

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